

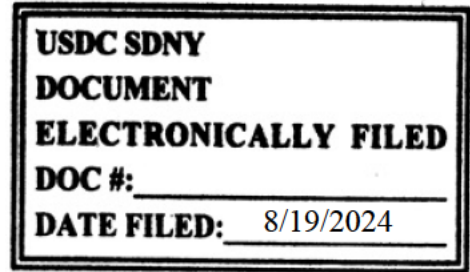
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*Via ECF*

The Honorable Margaret M. Garnett  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
40 Foley Square, Room 2102  
New York, NY 10007

Re: *UMG Recordings, Inc. v. Verizon Communications Inc.* No. 24-cv-05285

Dear Judge Garnett:

We represent Verizon<sup>1</sup> in this action. Under Rule I(B)(5) of the Court's Individual Rules, we write, on behalf of all parties, to jointly request an adjournment of the Initial Pretrial Conference currently scheduled for September 4, 2024, at 9:30 a.m. Dkt. No. 15. No adjournment of this Conference has previously been sought or given.

On July 29, 2024, the Court granted Verizon's motion to extend the date by which it must respond to Plaintiff's complaint, setting the following motion-to-dismiss briefing schedule:

- Motion to dismiss: September 5, 2024
- Opposition: October 17, 2024
- Reply: November 7, 2024

Dkt. No. 30. Given the briefing schedule, the parties do not believe it would be efficient to conduct the Initial Pretrial Conference, which is currently scheduled to occur the day before Verizon's motion to dismiss is due. The parties thus respectfully request that the Court adjourn the Initial Pretrial Conference until November 21, 2024, two weeks after Verizon has filed its reply brief, or until another date convenient for the Court.

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<sup>1</sup> "Verizon" refers collectively to all three Defendants in this action: Verizon Communications Inc., Verizon Services Corp., and Cellco Partnership.

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Request GRANTED. In light of the anticipated motion to dismiss, the conference that was scheduled for September 4, 2024, is ADJOURNED *sine die*. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate Dkt. No. 35.

SO ORDERED. 8/19/2024



HON. MARGARET M. GARNETT  
U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE